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MEMORANDUM FOR: Honorable Zbigniew Brzezinski
Assistant to the President
for National Security Affairs

SUBJECT : Leaks of Classified Information

1. At our meeting on 31 October, I referred to the lack of progress in arriving at an Administration position regarding the need for new legislation dealing with leaks of classified national security information. I referred also to the delay we had encountered in getting any movement from the Justice Department on this score, and in that connection I am attaching a copy of my 17 August letter to the Attorney General, to which there has been no response.

2. As I understand it, the Justice Department is considering not just the narrow approach outlined in my 17 August letter but some broader approaches as well.

3. I think we need to get off dead center on this problem.

/s/ Stansfield Turner

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Attachment

OGC:AAL

- 1 - DCI
- 1 - DDCI
- 1 - ER via Ex Secty
- 1 - OGC Subj: Legislation (NI) w/OGC 78-7437
- 1 - AAL signer
- 1 - Chrono

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